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US Application S/N: 10/020,737

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SENSING AND LOCATING DISTURBANCES

IN AN ENERGY PATH OF A FOCUSED ULTRASOUND SYSTEM

RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

This Response is submitted in response to the non-final Office Action dated August 25, 2005.

A complete listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.